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Hongkong, November 8, 1892.

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HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1891.

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-

Undersigned with a Lier of their Contri-EURIONS for the year ending 31st December

last, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of

may be arranged. Returns not rendered

prior to the 30TH DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT.

will be adjusted by the Company, and no

Hongkong, Octol er 31, 1892.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers,

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

per Share, making £8 in all, is PAY.

ABLE on or before 8TH DECEMBER NEXT.

When making payment, SHAREHOLDERS

will please send their PROVISIONAL CERTI-

FIGATES in order that same may be exchanged

Residents at Yokohama, Shanghai,

Amoy and Foochow can PAY at the BANK's

By Order of the Board of Directors,

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG.

Empire of China, Deceased.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN PIT-

31st DECEMBER, 1892, the time for sending

All Creditors are hereby required to send in their OLAIMS to the Undersigned

Dated the 9th day of November, 1892.

IN BANKRUPTOY.

NTOTICE is hereby given that on

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

A N Interim DIVIDEND on account of

A 1892 at the Rate of SEVENTY CENTS

Der TEN-DOLLAR SHARE (or 7 per cent. on

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BANK on and after the 9th Instant, on

WARRANTS to be obtained from the Un-

quested to apply at the Company's OFFICE

posted to addresses outside of the Colony.

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The REGISTER of SHARES will be

CLOSED from FREDAY, the 4th Instant,

till WEDNESDAY, the 9th Instant, both days

inclusive, during which period no Transfer

OOD morning, Gentlemen? Do you

JOHN A. JUPP,

for Secretary.

of Shares can be registered.

By Order,

the Capital of the Company) will be PAY-

BRUCE SHEPHERD.

Acting Registrar.

W. G. CLENNELL,

Official Receiver.

in CLAIMS against the said Estate,

before the said date.

NOVEMBEH, 1892.

purchased and collected. Advances made | dereigned. Local Shireholders are re-

per cent per annum on the daily balance price is also very little, only Rs. 1/8 in-

Hongkong, November 5, 1892.

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,

Chief Manager.

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N. MOALLE & Co., LIMITED. Foochose, Claims or Alterations will be subsequently

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Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

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For the Hongkong and Shanghai

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Chief Manager.

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,....£ 500,000.

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Amoy - J. Anderson, Manager.

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Current Accounts

Hongkong, September 26, 1892.

apply to the Manager.

Current Accounts opened. Money re-

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RESERVE FUND......\$ 3,300,000.

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Hongkong, November 12, 1892.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the TRAMWAY TICKETS will be supplied to Residents and Visitors at the Hotel at Honourable the Chief Justice reduced rates.—For further Particulars apply at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, having, in virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance Queen's Road Central, or to R. ISHERWOOD, Manager, Mount Austin Hotel. Hongkong, October 7, 1892. 9 of 1870, made an Order limiting to the

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Hongkong, October 21, 1892.

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Hongkong, November 12, 1892

Hongkong, November 3, 1892. Intimations. Dr. ESENJEE'S WONDERFUL RING.

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Board, by day or month: Apply at the Office, No. 37, 3rd Floor.

Wine and Spirit Merchants, 13, Queen's Road. Hongkong, August 18, 1891.

Intimations.

NOTIOE. A LL Persons having CAIMS against

THE MIKE COAL is a bituminous A the Estate of the late Lieutenant G. Coal of dark reddish colour. For G. BOYLE, Royal Artillery are requested Steam purposes, it has been pronounced to to forward them to the Undersigned before be the Best and the most economical of the 22nd November, 1892, ster which date No Claims will be received. C. G. F. SELFE.

> MAJOR R.A. President, Committee & Adjustment. 22nd October, 1892. CHAS. J. GAUP? & Co.,

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TION, LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION). NOTICE TO CRIDITORS.

to 31st March, have been REDUCED as CLAIMS on the HOGRONG BEANCE must be sent to the Undersigned. Forms may be had on application. E. W LUTTER, Attorney for he Liquidator. Hongkong, August 24, 1892.

日五十月九年辰壬

OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Intimations.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1891.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in to this Office a List of their Contributions of Parmia for the year ending 31st December last, in Order that the Proportion of PROFIT for that year to. be PAID as BONUS to Contributors may be arranged. Returns not sent in before the 30th Instant will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent Claims or Alterations will be allowed.

By Order of the Directors. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE Secretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1892.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE, No. 1165 E.C.

Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th Inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHEEN ARE cordially invited.

Hongkong, November 10, 1892.

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ITTHE BUNGALOW lately occupied by the late Capt. HOPEINS, at ROBINSON ROAD. Water and Gas laid on. Apply to VICTORIA HOTEL. Hongkong, October 27, 1892.

Notices of Firms.

NOTIOE.

TR. NOBLE has returned and RESUMEL Hongkong, November 12, 1892. 1990

NOTICE. DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED. MR. J. WALKER has been appointed Acting Manager (tice Mr. DA

SILVA RESIGNED).

By Order of the Board,

W. HUTTON POTTS, Secretary. Hongkong, October 15, 1892.

Notices to Consignees.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Company's S.S. Chelydra having

arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remain-

ing on board after the 12th Instant, at Noon, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, November 10, 1892.

Shipping.

Steamers. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM.

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT:) The Company's Steamer

Capt. R. Unsworth, wil be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 15th Inst., at 10-s.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.

Hongkong, November 14, 1892.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.)

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY, Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN), and GENOA; all Mediterranean, ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and SOUTH AMERI-CAN PORTS, up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD.

The Co.'s Steamship Bormida,
F. Ansaldo, Master, will
be despatched as above TO MORROW, the 15th Instant, at Noon. At BOMBAY the Steamers are discharging in VICTORIA DOCK.

For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to OARLOWITZ & Co.,

Hongkong, November 14, 1892. FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-RANG AND SOURABAYA.

The Steamship Captain H. KLAIN, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, 16 15th Instant. For Breight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, November 9, 1892. QUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co,'s Steamship

Captain Brown, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 16th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, November 11, 1892. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.)

The Steamship Glamorganshire,
Captain Davies, will be
despatched as above on Glamorganshire. on or about THURSDAY, the 17th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CABLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, November 9, 1892. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM ... NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL The Co.'s Steamship J.C. Jacques, Com'nder, will be despatched as

above on or about the 25th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, November 10, 1892.

Price, \$2 per Month.

Shipping.

Steamers.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, Control in the Control

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co. & Steamship --- Changila. Com-

mander will by des patched as above on SATURDAY, the 10th Instant, at 3 p. in. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. Birst class Saloon and Cabina are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, November 8, 1892.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Stamulin Priam,
Capt. Wilding, will be
despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 22nd Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & BWIRE. Hongkong, November 11, 1892. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship Lient. To Darks, R. M.R. above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 30th Instant. For Freight, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co... General Managers. Hongkong, November 9, 1892.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. for singapore, havre, london. HAMBURG AND ANTWERP The Steamship

Breconshire,
Capt. Jackson, will be
despatched as above on or about MONDAY, the 5th December. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, November 11, 1892.

Sailing Vessels. FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.I.I. Amer. Barque

BALLIED, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

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SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, November 4, 1892.

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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, September 30, 1892. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.L. Norw. Barque Sigurd.

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Hongkong, November 11, 1892, 1988

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NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA. COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ,

PORT SAID. MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX:

ATSO: PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA ON WEDNESDAY, the 16th November, 1892, at Noon, the Company's S.S. CALEDONIEN, Commandant FLINNER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE. and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marselles, and socopted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 18th November, 1892. (Parcels are not to be sent on board . they must be left at the Agency's Office. Contents and value of Packages are reonired.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. D. CHAMPRAUX,

Hongkong, November 2, 1692.

Entertainments. HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIO OLUB. above OLUB will give A PERFORMANCE IN HONOUR BOUND ON BAIL, TO-MORROW, 15th November, at the THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL Doors open at 8.30 p.m. Performance at 9 p.m. precisely. Tickets can be obtained at Mesers. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s. Dress Circle and Stalls.....\$2.00. Back Seats......\$1.00. An EXTRA TRAM will Run to the Peak a quarter of an hour after the Performance is over. E. W. MITCHELL Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, November 14, 1892. Mails. U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.SATUEDAY, Nov. 19. City of Rio de Janeiro SATURDAY, Dec. 10. City of PekingSATURDAY, Dec. 31. THE U. S. Mail Steamship PERU will be despatched for SAN FRAN-OISCO, vid YOKOHAMA, on SATUR-DAY, the 19th November, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. RATES OF PASSAGE. From Hongkong, First Class. To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault, New Westminster, Port Town \$225.00 send, Seattle, Tacoma, Port-To Liverpool and London\$325.00 To Havre and Hamburg\$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. RATES OF PASSAGE TO OVERLAND CITIES, FIRST CLASS. DESTINATION. Kansas City, Mo., Omaha, 1 285.00 NebJ 292,50 291,50 St. Louis, Mo. St. Paul, Minn., Minnea- \ 292.90 polis, Minn. Columbus, Ohio Detroit. Mich. Cleveland, Ohio Toronto, Canada 309.95 307.45 Niagara Falls, N.Y., Buf- 311.00 308.50 Montreal, Canada New York 319.75 315.00 Portland, Maine 327.25 317.00 All the above Rates are in Mexican Dollars. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Navai,

306,55 305.00 DESTINATION. Kansas City, Mo., Omaha, 1 285.00 St. Paul, Minn., Minnes- \ 292.30 polis, Minn Milwaukee, Wis 299.50 295.00 Columbus, Ohio304.25 304.20 Detroit, Mich Cleveland, Ohio306.55 305.00 Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, 309.95 307.45 Toronto, Canada to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and Pittsburg, Penn. Niagara Falls, N.Y. But 311.00 308.50 Passengers by this Line have the option Washington, D.C., Balti- 1 317.90 311.75 of proceeding Overland by the Southern more, Md Pacific and connecting Lines. Central Paci-fic. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Philadelphia, Penn 319.75 312.50 | 25th Instant. Return Tickets. - First Class. - Prepaid Boston, Mass 321,15 317.00 return tickets to San Francisco wili be All the above Rates are in Mexican Time is reckoned from date of issue to Special rates (first class only) are granted date of re-embarkation at San Francisco. to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, embarking at San Francisco for China or to European officials in service of China Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be and Japan, and to Government officials and allowed a discount of 10 % from Return Passengers by this Line have the option

Fare. This allowance does not apply to their families. through fares from China and Japan to Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, vis Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinidad. and Demerara, and to ports in Maxico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parce!

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addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central. J. S. VAN BUREN.

Hongkong, November 1, 1892. 1915 or Passage, apply to the Agency of the

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NOTICE.

ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS:

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, JALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE UOMPANY'S STRAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

MORROW, the 15th day of November, 1892, at 3 p.m., the Company's S.S. SACHSEN, Captain H. SUPMER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this port as above. calling at GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till the 12th November, Cargo will be received on board until Noon, Specie and Parcels until 10 a.m. on the 14th Road, on November. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the AGENCY's Office). Contents of Packages are required. The Steamer has aplended Accommo nation and carries a Doctor and Stewardoss. For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co. Agents. Hongkong, October 14, 1892.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING

STEAMERS. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Oceanic.....Tuesday, Nov. 29. GaelicTUESDAY, Dec. 20. Belgic v. Honolulu...TEUREDAY, Jan. 19/93. FIHE Steamship OCEANIC will be

despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 29th November, at 1 p.m., connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. RATES OF PASSAGE.

FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault New Westminster, Port Town > \$225,00 send, Seattle, Tacoma, Port-To Liverpool and London\$325.00 To Paris and Bremen\$345.00 To Havre and Hamburg\$335.00 land, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

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of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Paci- Port on or about the 30th Instant, instead he, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific of as previously advertised.

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Time is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarkation at San Francisco. Passengers, who have paid full tare, 10embarking at San Francisco for China o allowed a discount of 10 %. This ailo come Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo does not apply to through fares from Cam-

All Parcel Packages should be marked .c Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, address in full; and same will be received at previous to sailing. Consular Invoices to accompany Car, destaned to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to th Company's Offices, addressed to the Ool. of MERIT. lector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freigh

> Agent. Hengkong, November 11, 1892.

Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central.

To-day's Advertisements

J. S. VAN BUREN,

ANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Undersigned beg to notify that they have been appointed AGENTS for the above Company from date.

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, November 14, 1892.

To-day's Advertisements. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

ITHE Company's Steamship SACHSEN, carrying the GERMAN MAILS for EUROPE, &c., will leave this TO-MOR-ROW (TUESDAY) AFTERNOON, the 16th Instant, at 3 p.m. MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, November 14, 1892. FOR SALE

THE GOOD S.S. PEKIN and S.S. KWONG-MO. For Particulars, apply to

, 53. Bonham Strand West. Hongkong, November 14, 1892. NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

SUI KEE CHAN.

CIURGEON WANTED-for the S.S. Tacoma for the voyage from Hong-KONG to TACOMA DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

General Agents.

Hongkong, November 14, 1892. PICTURE SALE! FINE Undersigned will Sell by PUBLIC

AUCTION at his Sale Rooms, Queen's MONDAY, the 21st November, at 2.30 p.m.,-

A consignment of Gilt Framed

OLEOGRAPHS & CHROMOGRAPHS, consisting of :-A Splendid Assortment of LANDSCAPES. SEA-PIECES, OELEBRITIES, YACHTING-PIECES and Copies of FAMOUS PICTURES. The above will be on view on Saturday, INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATIO the 19th November.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, November 14, 1892.

DILIGENTIA LODGE OF INSTRUCTION. Regular MEETING of the above

LODGE will be held on THURSDAY, the 17th Instant, at 5.30 p.m. precisely. Hongkong, November 14, 1892. 1998 ZETLAND LODGE.

No. 525. N Emergency MEETING of the above A LODGE will be held in the FREE. MABONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY,

the 18th Inst., at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHBEN are cordially INVITED. Hongkong, November 14, 1892. 2003 HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

ATR. SASSOON'S CUP will be Shot for On SATURDAY, the 19th Instant. Ranges, 200 and 300 yards. Time, 3 p.m. ED. ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, November 14, 1892.

RATES OF PASSAGE TO OVERLAND THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Co,'s Steamship Esmeralda. Captain TAYLER, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 16th Inst., at-

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For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, November 14, 1892. 2004

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Capt. J. C. WILLIAMSON. R. N. R., will be despatched

as above on or about SATURDAY, the For Freight or Passago, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, November 14, 1892.

UNION LINE. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Etniope, Capt. Pinkham, will be despatched for the above

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Hougkong, November 14, 1892.

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ALE: we are now making the best. At various exhibitions and competitions day the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the London and elsewhere, GINGER ALE and J. P. Nielson. made by the formula we now use has won 32 Prize MEDALS and CERTIFICATES

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Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Dertination Date of Lean	
Bangkok	0 a.m.
Batavia, Samarang, &c. Bornco (8) Jardine, Matheson & Co About Nov. 1	5.
Bremen & Ports of Call Sachsen (s) Norddeutscher Lloyd. Nov. 15, at 3	p.m.
London, v. Suez Canal Priam (s) Butterfield & Swire November 22.	
London, v. Suez Canal Glenfalloch (s) Jardine, Matheson&Col About Nov. 3	0.
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Manila, via Amoy Esmeralda (a) Shewan & Co Nov. 16, at 5	p.m.
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N'saki, Kobé & Y'hama Glamorganshire (s) Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About Nov. 1	
New York, v. Suez Canal Argyll (s) Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About Nov. 2	
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Port Darwin, &c Changsha (s) Butterfield & Swire Nov. 19, at 3	
S. Francisco, v. Japan Peru (s)	p.m.
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Swatow, Amoy & T'foo Thales (s)	light.
Vancouver (B.O.), & Empress of India (a) Canadian Pac R. Co Nov. 30, at n	con.
Victoria (B.C.), &c Tacuma (s)	

fe-day's Advertisements. DOUGL'AS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. BATHURST, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 16th Inst., Daylight, instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, November 14, 1892.

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. R. Cass, will be Major Hutchinson despatched as above on Mr A. Kitson WEDNESDAY, the 16th Inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers.

Hongkoug, November 14, 1892. SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS: November 13:-

Kwang Lee, Chinese str., from Whampoa. Canton, British str., from Whampon. Don Juan. Spanish steamer, 654, R. Beltran, Manila November 10, General. - Mr Adolf Fischer Ardgay, British str., 1,080, James Thom.

Wuhu November 8, Rice. - JARDINE, MAreson & Col Ghazec, British steamer, 1,764, Scotland Amoy November 12, 5 p.m., Tea.—Don-VELL. CARLILL & Co. Newchwang, British steamer, 800, Right,

Newchwang November 6, Beans. -- BUTTER- Mr H. Feer FIELD & SWIRE. Asagao, Japanese str., 1,521, H. Selek, Nagasaki November 8, Coal.—Mirsui Bishi

November 14:— Yung Ping, Chinese steamer, 567, L. H.

Richards. Tientsin and Chefoo November . Coal and General.—C. E. & MINING Co. Activ, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, Pakhoi November 10, and Hoihow 12, General.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Esmeralda, British steamer, 966, G. A. Tayler, Manila Nov. 11, General, -Shewan.

Nürnberg, German steamer, 2,007, B. Blanke, Yokolama November 6, Hlogo 8, For MANILA. and Nagasaki 10, Mails and General .-MELCHERS & Co.

Changsha, Bittish str., 1,463, Williams, Kobe November 8, General, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Picciola, German steamer, 874, E. Hass, Newchwang November 6. Beans, -- MEL-CHERS & Co.

DEPARTURES. Nivember 13:--Ardgay, for Wlampos.

Alwine, for Hohov. Triumph, for Holhow. Formosa, for Clast Ports. Chusan, for Haphong. Menmon, for Kudat and Sandakan.

Nevember 14:-Newchwang, fo Whampoa. Canton, for Switow. Yung Ping, forWhampoa, Woosung, for Spanghai. .

CLEARED Activ, for Hollow.

Ghazee, for Sigapore and New York. Taichiow, for langkok.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Yung Pug, from Tientsin, 11 Chi-

Per Esmeralia, from Manila, Mr Rodwell, and 56 Clinese. Per Namber, from Yokohama, Messrs C. Cummings, I. J. Cummings, J. O. Hutchinson, Abrahamson, Heim Matz, Adolf Fischer, Wong ich Chung, Mrs Wong and children, Mr Young Foo Cho, Mr and Mrs Ah Peng and aild, and 36 Chinese ; for Europe, MessraH. M. Jonnus, W. Amot

DEPARTED. Per Formosa, or Coast Ports, 228 Chi-

TO DEPART. Per Taishiow, for Bangkok, 2 Europeans and 8 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British teamer Ardgay reports Left Wuhn on the 8th instant, and Woosung on the 9th had moderate to fresh wind from S.W. kaling arround to N.N.E. overcast gloomy and thick rainy weather to Haishan's : from Haishan to Lammocks strong N.N.E. gle and heavy sea, washed deck cargo overbard; from Lammocks to port, moderate to fresh N.E. monsoon and fine weather. The British teamer Ghazes reports

Left Amoy at 5 pm., on Saturday, the 12th instant, and had strong N.E. winds and high seas throughout the passage down, and arrived here on lunday at 5 p.m. The British stamer Newhwang reports ; 1819 Had fresh South wind and fine weather

to N.E. Promontory; thence to port, strong N.E. gale, high sea, thick rainy weather. The Chinese steamer Yung Ping reports: Had strong N.E. winds and high sea The British steamer Esmeralda reports:

Had strong monsoon with heavy swell.

VISITORS AT HOTELS. HONOKONG HOTEL. Mrs Anderson Dr and Mrs Lavng Mr Chas. E. Bigmore Consul and Mrs von Mr and Mrs Clark Loeper and Maid Mr N. Molchanoff Capt. and Mrs Clut-Rev. J. M. Morton Mr A. Nathan terbuck Mrs S. A. Cooley Mr G. R. Nicoll Miss Mary K. Pease Miss Cooley Mr G. C. Cox Mr Fred. E. Shean Dr. H. J. Cummings Mr Frederick Stearns Mr C. S. Cummings Mr John L. Stoddard Mr W. Tappenbeck Mr Fr. Deuss Mr Geo. Fenwick Mrs Thayer Lieut. K. Thost Miss L. Giffin Miss Lilian Giffin Mr J. Walls Mr O. H. Hammatt Mr John S. Wallis

Mr Thos. Howard Mr L. Wilde Mrs Willcomb Mr G. Wolde MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL. Mr W. Macbean Mr Beattie Mr S. L. Benjamin Mrs. W. Macbean Captain Benson nurse and children 1979 Mr Hart Buck Mr Charles C. Malse Mr H. F. Meyerink Ool. Chauncy Rev. R. F. Cobbold Mr Verner Meyer

Mr A. H. Harris

Mrs Van Nicrop Mr Cochrane Mr and Mrs C. C. Mr C. Schwenke Mr A. Ross Mr J. B. Coughtrie Mr Taylor Mr W. E. Crowe Mr L. Abrahamson Mrand Mrs Hosie and Miss Harrington

Mr A. L Bagnall Capt. F. O. Blanco Mr Allan Jones Mr and Mrs G. G. Mr E. B. Jorey Cadby and child Mr Chas. W. Mathews Dr. and Mrs Canaris Mr H. Matz Capt. J. W. Nelson Mrs Christie Mr Li Chiu Fán Mr Chas. H. Ramsay Mr Elivain Mr Roebeleu Mr W. Schwaler Miss Emma Ferris Mr Stollberz Capt. George Vlave-

Mr W. Gardner Mr and Mrs A. J. anos

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For BANGKOK. -Per Taichiow, at 9.30 a.m., on Tuesday,

the 15th inst. For STRAITS & BOMBAY.— Per termida, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15th inst.

Per Don Juan, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 15th inst. For SHANGHAL.-Per Kwang Lee, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday,

the 15th inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & SINGAPORE. Per Sishan, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 15th inst., instead of as previously notified.

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO Per Thales, at 5 a.m., on Tuesday, the 16th inst., instead of as previously

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-CUTTA.— Per Chelydra, at 10.30 a m., on Wednesday, the 16th inst., instead of as previously notified.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR MAIL: - Letters, &c., for the United Kingdom posted before 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 16th November, are due in London on 17th December, these posted before 11 a.m., on Thursday, 24th November, are due in London on 27th December, and those posted before 11 a.m., on Wednesday, 30th Nov., are due in London on the 31st December.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET .-The German Contract Packet Sachsen will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 15th November, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah. Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, Registry ceases at 1 P.M.

The mail closes at 2 P.M. Late letters till 2.30 P.M. with 10 cents extra postage. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Contract Packet Calidonica will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 16th Nov., with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyoud, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon. the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET -The United States Mail Packet Peru will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 19th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :--).15 P.M. Registry cesses. 30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Corres-

pondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

The publication of this were commenced MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW

Shipping. 10 s.m. - Taichiam leaves for Bangkok. Noon. - Thales leaves for Swatow, &c. Noon. -Bormida leaves for Bombay, &c. 3 p.m.—German Mail leaves for Bremen and Ports of Call.

Amusements. 9 p.m.—A. D. C. Performance at City

General Memoranda. WEDNESDAY, November 16:-Goods per Chelydra undelivered after Noon landed. 9 p.m.-Meeting of Perseverance Lodge. THURSDAY, November 17:--5.30 p.m.-Meeting of Diligentia Lodge. FRIDAY, November 18:-5.30 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge. SATURDAY, November 19:-3 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association. Monday, November 21 :--

J. M. Armstrong's. Wednesday. November 30:-List of Contributions to the Hongkong-Fire Insurance Company, Ltd., to b sent in before this date. List of Contributions to the China Fire Insurance Company, Ltd., to be sent in before this date.

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Pictures, at Mr

ATUBDAY, December 3:--1 p.m.—Sky Races at Race Course. Exchange. Honggong, November 14. Bank. Wire, ... On demand.

lu London— " 30 days' sight. 4 months' sight, Oredits. 4 Documentary 4 months sight, n Paris---On demand, Credits, 4 months sight, ... On Berlin—Demand,... 2.82 On New York-On demand, 671 Credits, 60 days' sight, In Bombay— Mr and Mrs Warren On demand, 222] On Calcutta....

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On Shanghai-

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On demand, 72

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A Large Stock well asserted.

at 7.25 p.m. The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1802 TELEGRÁMS.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION. A Madrid telegram to the Manila papers, dated Nov. 9, says that it is affirmed that Mr Cleveland has been elected President of the United States of America.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SURE CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Exe, Oct. 14; Douglas, 18; Cathay, Biestra, 21; Payang, Flintshire, 25; Ulysses, Bellona, 28; Darmstoad, Benalder, Nov. 1; Capack, Promethens, Yarra, 8. OMEWARD BOUND :-Strathleren, Oct. 21 Palinurus, Eastry, Kostrome, 25; Achilles, Chingwo, Melbourne, 128; Glenogle, Nov. 1; Kaisow, Thisbe, 8.

The Northern Pacific s. s. Loo Sek, from Tacoma, Wash., and Victoria, B.C. left Kobe for Hongkong on Nov. 10, a M. M. Co.'s steamship Salane, with the the French Mail of October 14, left. Saigon on Sunday, November 14: at 8 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 17th November. This packet brings replies. to letters despatched from Hongkong.

so Glen Line steamship Glenorchy, from London for this port, left Singapore on Nov. 8, and may be expected here on or about Nov. 15. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Titan left Singapore on Nov. 8, and may be expected here on or about Nov. 15. Shire Line s. s. Glamorganshire left Singapore on Nov. 9, and may be ex-

pected here on or about Nov. 15. The s. s. Lightning, from Calcutta and Straits for this port, left Singapore on Nov. 10, and may be expected here on or about Nov. 17. THE O. & O. s. s. Oceanic, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 25th ultimo. via Honolulu, has arrived at Yokohama and leaves for this port to morrow at daylight.

THE agent of the M. M. Co. informs us that

the steamer Salazie, with the next French mail, left Saigon yesterday (Sunday), at 8 p.m. for this port. Ar the Magistracy to day a marine hawker who had exposed two swords for sale on Saturday was brought before Mr Wode. house charged with exposing arms for sale without a license. Sergeant McIver stated that the accused had been cautioned for displaying a dozen awords a few days ago, and they had since been disposed of. The

fourteen days' imprisonment. The swords were forfeited. THE Spanish Consul has courteously sout us the following telegram, which was received by him yesterday :- Manila, Nov. 13, 4.53 p.m.—The depression previously announced passed near Mindanao on Fri-

accused was fixed \$2, with the alternative of

day, travelling towards the West. Dr. Doberck writes to-day :- At 10.45 s.m. on the 13th inst., the following notice was issued:- There appears to be a depression in the China Sea East of Annam, moving Westward. Barometer almost steady, Gradients moderate for N.E. winds. Westher overcast and cool with light rain. (Issued at 10.51 s.m.)

THIS afternoon, upwards of 500 boys con-

nected with public schools in the Colony paraded on the Cricket Ground for physical drill and public inspection. There were eight companies, of 64 boys each, representing the following schools: Victoria College, 3 companies; St. Joseph's College, 2 Companies; Diocesan School, I Company; Victoria English School, I Company; Wanchai Government School, 1 Company. Shortly after four o'clock the youngaters began to assemble, and by five o'clock had Рим, &с., &с. been drawn up in companies in open order, each contingent under its respective headmaster. There was a large assemblage of spectators, in spite of the threatening nature of the weather, among those present being Major-General Barker, Hon, G. M. O'Brien, Colonial Secretary; Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockbart, Registrar General; Hon. N. G. Mitckell Innes, Colonial Treasurer; Colonel Muiloy, R.E.; Lieut. Colonel Jerrard, D.A. A.G.A. Surgeon Inspector Turnbill. Lieut Colonel Ravenhill, Shropshire Light Infantry ; Major Salfe, R. A.; Hou, E.R. Belilioc. Major General Gordon, Captain-Superintendent of Police; Commander Rumsey, Harbour Master; Dr Chalmers, Dr Wright, &c. Upon the arrival of His Excellency Sir William Robinson (accompanied by Lady Rebinson, and attended by his aide-de-camp, Lieutonant Sterling) the ranks were called to the attention and saluted. The boys were then put through their mousl dvill, the band playing for some of the exercises, The boys performed the various exercises with commendable precision and smartness. and were heartily applauded at the conclusion of the exercises. Having been talif off in Ecompany formation of fours, bearty cheers were raised by the boys for Hoz Majesty, the Governor, and the General Commanding the Garrison ; and the after.

noon's proceedings were brought to a

termination by the Band of the 1st Shrop-

shire Light Inlantry playing the Pational

Anthem. In the course of the afternoon

the Headmasters of the schools were

presented to the Governor. Dr Eitel, In-

spector of Schools, carried out the ar-

rangements for the parade, and the com-

mands were given by Drill-Instructor

TOM SMITH'S CRACKERS.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY 1976 Corporal Lawrence. Hongkong, November 9, 1892.

ROTIFICATION in Baturday's Gazetie announces; that the Queen's exequatur ompowering Mr L. Von Looper to est as German Consul in Hongkong has received Her Majesty's signature.

Ir is notified in Saturday's Gazette that His Excellency the Governor has appointed ex-Police Constable Richard Simmons to be Quetodian of the Wong-nei-chong Recreation Ground as from the 5th September

ALL the steamers which arrived from the north yesterday and to-day report having experienced a strong N. N. E. gale and heavy sea. The Ardgay, which arrived yesterday, had her deck cargo washed overboard between the Heishans and Lam-Let 1/2 William Street Street

Br an Order in Council made by the Goverger on the 7th inst. condition No. 11 hi the conditions for a hawker's licence made in September, 1888, to the effect that the licensee shall give security to the satisfaction of the Registrar-General for his good behaviour during the term of his licence and for the due performance and observapos of these conditions, is hereby re-

Ar, the meeting of St. John's Lodge, No. 616, S.C., hold on Saturday ovening, the election of officers for the ensuing year tosulted as follows :- R. W. M., Bro. J. Dickie; S. W., Bro. F. W. Watts; J. W., Bro. J. Logan; Treas., Bro. W. Hay; Sec., Bro. F. Howell; S. D., Bro. H. Rooves J. D., Bro. Bridger; D. C., Bro. A. Kuhn; I. G., Bro. Mollison; Tyler, Bro. J. Max-

late Mrs Wong Shing; who died on the 5th inst., a large procession was held yesterday morning in which all the prominent Chinese citizens took part. The Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockhart, Registrar General and Protector of the Chinese, was present, and also the Mandarin of Kowloon City and his suite. The interment is to take place at Heungshan.

Anour half-past seven o'clock on Saturday evening, Inspector Mackie, of the Water Police, seized twelve chests of Patna opium on board a boat off West Point. It is alleged that the opium, which belongs to the Opium Farmer, was being moved without a permit, during prohibited hours, within the waters of the Colony. Wong Ng, servant, who is stated to have been in charge of the opium, was brought before Mr Wodehouse at the Magistracy this morning. Mr Dennys appeared for the defence, and the case was adjourned till Thursday next, bail being fixed at \$200.

This morning Mr Wodehouse disposed of the Queen's Road shooting case. It will be remembered that Charles Jones, an American seaman, was charged with discharging a revolver at and wounding Private W. Payne, in front. 1st Shropshire Light Infantry, near th Naval Dockyard on 2nd inst., and that the case was twice remanded. Surgeon Captain | the audience seemed to thoroughly enjoy the Beveridge attended and stated the two wounds received by Payna were superficial, that though sufficient to disable Payne for cioal comedy. It is just about as good a duty for three days they never seriously specimen of its class-not a particularly high put him in any danger, and that he was now quite recovered. It was stated by the police that when arrested Payne had a supply of revolver ammunition in his pocket. He was sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour.

Gazette writes as follows:-The s.s. Thales as unequivocal as any of them. called at Sand Island on her way to Bail' is the story of a practical joke. Taiwanfoo this trip. The Shanghai Tug and the great thing is to get the audience steamer Sampson was found at anchor to to enter into the spirit of it, which windward of the s.e. Bokhara wreck, the on Saturday evening they were nothing weather being fine. Captain Buchanan loth to do. The situations are funny, and boarded the s.s. Thates, and reported that | in the dialogue the characteristic Gilbertian treasure, \$3,000, had been recovered. The be described as 'cheap.' The niece requires hull of the steamer appears to have collap- quite a lurge cast but the real work falls on the ship. One body had been seen in the all that was required of him. reach it. Captain Buchanan further stated and interest of the audience at once, quiet and peaceful. At the suggestion of that about 80 graves were seen on Sand and on Saturday evening be showed this the mandarins on board, the gunboats en-

SERING the necessity, says the Huogo News, of extending steamship lines to foreign countries, the Jivuto, ander the superintendence of Mr. Nishiyama, M.P. were lately making investigations into the subject of opening lines to Australia and Enrope. According to his investigations, a line of six steamers of 8,300 gross tons a month will cost, all expenses told, yen 80.542.835 each, on the outward and homeward voyage. aggregating yen 966,592.02 in a year, while the estimated income would amount to you 87.800 or you 453.600 a year, leaving a deficit of yen 512,992.02. The Australian line is not promising. Three steamers of 2,500 gross tons with a speed of 11 knots would be required on this line. The expenses per voyage are estimated at yen 50,184.514, or yen 602,214.168 for 12 voyages in a year, while the income is estimated at yen 19,527.50, or you 234,830 a year, the deficit amounting to you 867,884.168. The Jiyuto are said to be now discussing how to establish

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. Eight members shot for the long range to do, but it ought to be mentioned that oup at 800 and 900 yards on Saturday. A Mr John Andrew was very impressive as a officers, greatly surprised at their vehechanges bis light caused the marksmen policeman. The complete cast was as some difficulty, but on the whole the shoot. ing was passable. Inspector Mann spoilt a Mr Jonathan Lovibond. good score at 900 yards by a miss with his Alfred Trimble (Leader of the Band) Mr. L. Hallward. last shot. Mr Watson made the respectable Mr Marcools | Governor of the Mr L. H. Davis. total of 70, and won the net aggregate spoon, Wilcox (Serjant of Folice), the Cup and the handicap spoon being Hebbiethwaite Meanger of the Mr Lapreik. taken by Mr S. McLennan with 72 points. Portibor (a Barrister) Seven scores are appended, one competitor having failed to finish :---

800 900 Net Allow-Grand yards, yards, total, ance. total. Mr. Warnock 87 Inspector Mann 33 Gostr, Ramety, R. W. 26

THE AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB, It is rather amusing to read the Daily Press dramatic critic's lecture to the members of the A. D. C. which prefaces the notice of the performance at the Theatre leadership, played several selections in the themselves by saying, The pirates will Royal on Saturday evening. It very often happens that a critic writes on a subject in regard to which he is densely ignorant. but it is seldem that one makes such a gratuitous and such an elaborate display of ignorance as is given in the aforesaid lecture. If there are two names on the list of modern playwrights that deserve to be mon-

and Gilbert, makes a confession of ignorance which is refreshing in its ingenuousness. The description of In Honour Bound as 'a flimsy production veneered discovered. Her fats is unknown. with a cheap kind of humour ' is simply the height of absurdity. It has been described before as a well-written little drama of sterling value, and it has been remarked description and the comment on the qualit if the piece are just and well merited. The fact is that 'In Honour Bound' requires greater dramatic talent for fair presentation than can be furnished by the Hongkong Amateur Dramatic Club. Honour Bound' was produced at the Prince

of Wales' Theatre in 1880, with Mr Edgar Bruce as Sir George Carlyon, Mr Bayley as Philip Graham and Mrs Bernard Boore as In connection with the obsequies of the Lady Carlyon, it at once won high favour alike from the public and the critics. Since that time it has enjoyed a great deal of popularity among amateur societies. It may safely be said that nobody ever discovered any 'flimsiness' or 'cheap humour' in it till last Saturday evening, and it may be asserted with equal confidence that nobody shared the discovery with the critic of the Daily Press. The piece did not get anything like justice. Even if the acting had been better than it was, its effect would have been spoiled by the noise in front caused by late arrivals, of whom there seemed to be an nnusually large number. The attention of the audience was never concentrated on the

piece and its undeniable merits were unappreciated. To the remark that the acting was not good an excention must be made as regards Mrs Mulcahy's interpretation of the part of Lady Carlyon, which was in most respects excellent. With better support and a more attentive and sympathetic audience we have no doubt the part would have been a very pronounced success. it was. Mrs Mulcahy alone saved the piece from absolute flataess. Mrs Beveridge was fairly satisfactory as Rose Dalrymple: Mr of Sir George Carlyon with his usual spirit, this duty .- Yours, and Col. Mulcahy was not at all well-suited with the part of Philip Gmham. The suppressed emotion under which he and Sir George are supposed to be coting was so effectuallysuppressed as to be leave no indication of its existence. If the piece did not get fairplay all round, it must also be admitted that the performers were under great dis-

advantage from the constant interruptions The three-act farcical comedy Bail,' is more within the scope of the A.D.C. than In Honour Bound,' and performance of it. Of course it has no plot' properly speaking, but nobody expects anything of that kind in modern farclass, it is true-as could be found. We have no vearning to see the Club in pieces that require a great deal of dramatic talent. because an inadequately presented play or comedy is neither edifying nor entertaining. but in such a piece as 'On Bail' they may always rely on achieving a more or less pronounced success. Of this fact they have recently had a good many assurances, and The Taiwanfoo correspondent of the Amou that given on Saturday evening was

ealyage operations were being carried on humour strongly asserts itself-a kind of with every prospect of success. One box of humour, by the way, which cannot fairly sed, and in order to reach the Treasure only a few shoulders. Mr Grace as Jonaroom blasting operations will be necessary, than Lovibond had the lion's share of All cargo seems to have been washed out of it, and he proved himself quite equal to out anything worthy of note transpiring. engine room, but it was not possible to has the knack of winning the attention ral incidents already related, was now in a very marked way. He threw himself tered this port and anchored for the night. into the part with the utmost heartiness As usual, inquiries were set on foot in and his example seemed to have a very satisfactory effect on the others. Mr Hallward, who has on several occasions given was brought on board and in reply to the evidence of no small amount of dramatic question put to him, saidtalent, made what we should think his most | For several days three jonks have been out most effectively. Mr L. K. Davis made visions enough for several days. each with a speed of 10 knots running once a very creditable appearance as Mr Marcoolv -although occasionally he seemed inclined to show a tendency towards exaggeration. As Bebblethwaite, the theatrical manager. Mr Lapraik was quite in his element and helped gratly to keep up the

rollicking spirit of the piece. Mr Joyce's get some clue by which to tell them. acting as the Duke of Darlington was one Some people who sold them rice said of the outstanding features of the perform- they had gone to Hoitow to spend the Now ance. In manner and speech he quite Year, he replied, evidently telling the realised one's ideal of a fin-de-siecle ' Dook' of sporting and dramatic tendencies. Miss Hazeland as Mys Hebblethwaite, a lady rather disposed to be 'intense' and a good account of the part of Fanny Louis praise for her piquante acting as Perkins. Of the other characters there is not much to say as they had comparatively little

Muster Longmert. Mr S. L. Darby.

The Duke of Darlington. Mr R. B. Joyco. Mrs Carter. Mins Miller Fancy Lovibond, Miss Montmorenci; Miss De Courcy, Miss Fitzbattleare, Miss Clements. Miss Lammert. Miss Meggie Killer. Perkins (A Haw),

Too much praise could hardly be given portant work Mr C. J. Holliday was year, they answered with an innocent The band of the Shropshire Light In-

course of the evening. A repeat performance will be given to- get far away. morrow eveniuz.

COLLISION IN_MANILA BAY We learn from the Comercio that the American ship Mary L. Stone, from Shangline anchored in the Manila harbour about tioned with respect, they are those of Mr | noon on the 8th November, and reported W. S. Gilbert and Mr Sydney Grandy, that on the previous night, about 4 or yet. and the Daily Press critic, in point 5 miles inside the Bay, a small steamer ing the finger of scorn at them came right in front of her and collided. and their works, and speaking contemp, with the result that the steamer got her tuously of what he calls 'the rat of Grundy bow smashed and the ship's foremast was knocked down. Although the ship's tiell was rung and all efforts made to ary station here?' asked the Captain of assist the steamer, the two vessels separated without the identity of the steamer being

The Captain of the Port at once telegraphed to Carregidor for information, and was informed that 89 of the crew of the Dagupan (which collided with another they were pirates, said the mandarin obsevessel) had arrived at Pauta Buri in quiously. the ship's boats. The steamer Contincla that it is a marvel to find so much depth was then disputched to convey the ship- gust. Everybody knows what they are, wreaked crew to Manila. It is supposed Ask that fisherman and he will tell you.' that the Dagupan had foundered. The Mary | The fisherman was hailed and the ques-L. Stone has not sustained much damage, and tion put to him, What sort of junks are the Captain thinks that the steamer had not those which have just gone into the inner sustained much damage, as she was seen harbor?' steaming for some 20 minutes after the

November 9. The steamer Centinela has returned and brought only five Chinamen from the wreck and this is the main reason why it was not the Captain of the Centinela deeming it a success on Saturday evening. When 'In prudent not to take any more on board as the steamer was small and the voyage had to be done at night.

There are several versions of the fate of the Dagunan and her crew, but the out- | First Lieutenant. come of it is that the steamer foundered shortly after the collision, and the crew were all saved.

CORRESPONDENCE

ORIENTAL BANK. To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL."

A LIQUIDATION OF THE NEW

Hongkong, Nov. 14. Sir. - In Truth of Oct. 6 attention is drawn to the costly mode in which the ouidation of the New O. B. C. is being carried out in Bombay. It seems to me Hongkong is not far behind in this respect, for we find the Liquidator with Foreign staff still occupying the costly Bank so evident that it was immediately approvpremises in which the business was form-led erly conducted. I would suggest that the winding up should be placed in the hands of the National Bank of China, which has branches throughout the East. As the large number of the staff have joined this Bank many will be conversant with the I toward the heap of muskets. position of affairs. There cannot be a doubt that this course would result in a substantial saving to the unfortunate sharethere could be no objection on the part of Holliday did not seem to enter into the part. the National Bank of China to undertake found to their disgust, that some soldiers

A VICTIM. [We understand the National Bank of China has made an offer at Home to carry out the liquidation, but the Bombay business is an unfortunate instance to quote, as the National has no branch at that port. Besides, the New O.B.C. would presumedly have a lease of the premises here in Hongkong, and the compensation to the Foreign Staff has also to be considered .-

> Piracy in the China Sea. NEW YEAR'S EPISODES.

Like an ever-recurring epidemic, the scourge of piracy was continually breaking out in the Gulf of Tonquin. For several months the air had been full of rumors of depredations committed. Junks trading with the Ancem ports were especially beset, and the check put upon native commerce in that direction brought most serious losses upon many loading but encouragingly. Under such pressure firms in Hongkong and Canton. To add to the general disorder and swell the lists of crime, the agents for the Macao coolie market were increasing and kidnapping was carried on extensively. To correct these evils and restore peace on the sea, as well as on land, a fresh expedition was

organized and despatched. Three gunboats of the Viceroy's fleet were sent at once to Hollow, where they were joined by a fourth, with instructions to act as circumstances should dictate. They proceeded in company along the Coast of Hainan as far as Youngpo, with-He This harbor, familiar as the scene of seveevery direction to ascertain the whereshouts of the common enemy. A man

successful appearance as Alfred Trimble, a seen in this neighbourhood. Two days ago part the peculiar humour of which he brought | they came into Yeung-po and laid in pro-When did they leave this vicinity? was asked.

> "They were last seen yesterday morning." answered the informant. Where are they supposed to have gone? asked the officers, surious to answered in a stolid way.

Here was definite information, and the commanders wished to not upon it at once. so a council was called, composed of the tragio, even at a theatrical supper party, European commanders and the Chinese was highly satisfactory, and Mrs Carter gave | Mandarine on board. To-morrow at day light we must statt for Hoitow! said the bond. Mrs Beveridge deserves a word of senior commanding officer, after the facts had been laid before the Council. No! No! oried the mandarins all, in one breath. ' that cannot be!' Why? what is the matter?' saked the

> Don't you know to-morrow is the Chinese New Year!' the mandarine repliedsurprised in their turn at the ignorance or indifference of the Europeans. That is just the reason we should make

haste, answered the commander with deciaion. These pirates have gone to Hoitow to spend their New Year's day. If we pursue them at ouce, we may catch them! "Never ! persisted the mandarins : 'No Chinaman ever works on his New Year's day. You can't get the crews to go !' soon, would be picked up by the Andowon What is there about New Year's day that you can't work on that day ? saked the officers impatiently.

If we do not observe the proper THE WONG-NEI-CHONG REOREAto the staging of both pieces, for which im- coremonies, bad luck will follow in all the

under Mr Moran's experienced these objections and the officers consoled

upon them in the midst of their feast and to have given them a few shells by way of despert : said one of the officers regretfully. A for two days the expedition left Yeung-Do and was soon in night of Hollows. The first hing to attract attention were three larg junks at anchor between the banks. There they are sure enough! exclaimed one of the officers; we shall get them

Scarcely had he ceased speaking when the crews, who had now caught eight of the gunboats, cut their cable and made sail for the inner harbor, where the junks were soon run aground and their crews making quick time into the interior. This is provoking ! Is there not a militthe Chen to of his mandarin.

Yes, and he has over a hundred soldiers under him.' was the reply..... Why then did he let the villains escape, he exclaimed indignantly. I cannot say : perhaps he did not know

'Abaurd!' broke out the Captain in dis-

gunboat for having lost them. . There! exclaimed the Captain triumphantly; 'I told, you. The fisherman knows they are pirates, the mandarin must know it too : I will report this man for neglect of duty in letting them off, he add-

'It is the old story of "You leave me alone and I'll not bother you," said the for any special kind of recreation, such as Parties were landed from all the ships and sent in various directions up the small | Public Works.

stream and into the groves and villages adjacent. After several hours' search they returned having, captured four of the The pirates, disturbed in their that they left their arms behind

sels and piled up on the beach before the junks were set on fire. : Let us leave their arms exposed and place an ambush to watch them, suggested one of the officers. 'The fellows are sure to comesneaking back to get their muskets and swords.' The shrewdness of this plan was

'No doubt some of the rescale are hiding near at hand, waiting for some such opportunity,' added another officer. These surmises proved true, for soon. late Inspector of the New O. B. C. and a four men were seen creeping up along the sand hills, stealthily making their way

. There they come ' said one of the off cers who was watching for them. moment they will be caught." Suddenly a holders of the New O. B. C. I presume hideous yelling was heard on the shore, and turning to see what it meant, the officers of the Hoitow Station had caught sight of the men creeping among the sand hills, and made such an uproar that they became

alarmed and ran off. What do those wrotehed soldiers mean they have scared off the men we were planning to capture, cried the officers i disgust at the conduct of these marplots. who had let the pirates escape in the firs place, and now by their offici us show of help, prevented their capture a second time. Turning their attention to the four me already caught, the officers plied them with questions - Are there any more pirates around the coast?' they asked. · We don't know, we haven't seen or heard of any,' they replied with a great

show of ignorance. Look out now! Tell all know or you will be hung up the thumbs !' cried the mandarins, who were brave fellows when it came to bullying and torturing prisoners. Have mercy on us,' cried the men terror cringing down at the feet of the

officers, knocking their heads on the deck. Tell us what you know and you shall not be tortured, said the officers firmly they at last acknowledged that these three junks belonged to a flect of ten under the command of a notorious leader named Ngou Wonghung. They persevered in denying all knowledge of where the other seven were at that time.

· Out with what you know and be quick

fooling in this matter. Here! Mandarin! What is it you do to men who will not speak out ? ner they said. 'Ten days ago six p.m., when required, them were at Wychow together and started from that island to go along the coast of Hainan as far as Nychow or Yulinkan, to look after junks coming

from Canton or Macao, bound for Annam and Singapore. * Were these three going the same way? asked the officers pointing to the burning

"We don't know, but think they were. they answered in a timid way. Truly we the Gazette: don't know what their intentions were. We are only common scamen on board. The headmen never tell us what they are going to do. * Why do you stay with them, then ?

We must live in some way, and so long as they give us plenty to eat and plenty of opium to smoke, we don't care much where they go and what they do?' they members of the said church body. The fact that such a fleet, under so no-

torious a leader, was cruising about, made it

necessary to act with great wisdom and care. A consultation was held and the church body to summon during the month that name, he called her Annasituation fully discussed, after which it was decided by the commanders and mandarins of the gunboats, that the Anlan should proceed along the Coast of Hainan as far as Yulinkan, making diligent inquiry as she wont; that the Suiterns and the Churhat should go slong the Luichow Coast. touching at Wychow on the way, put in at Pakhoi and fill up with coals, and then proceed to Ngowtowshan, where they should meet the Chento in five days from parting, We follow the Chento which went at once to Ngowtowshap, her part of the work being to search that place and the upper part o the Fietsglong group and return to Ngowtow to meet the Suitsbeg and the Chankai on the day fixed. By such a disposition of their forces, it was hoped that, should there Colonial Secretary. be any pirates among the Fietzelong islands, they would be driven to the lower part of that group, where the three gunboats would have a better chance of treasurer, secretary, and auditor, shall be say that there is something about the finding them, and that any who tried to forthwith notified to the Colonial Secre- second syllable (atill worse when shortened Force cross the gulf, which they were not likely tary.

the west coast of Hainan. (To be Continued.) TION GROUND.

The following regulations have been made by the Governor in Council, under Ordinance No. 8 of 1870, for the maintenance of good order and for the preservation and better enjoyment of the place open to keep New Year's day too, so they will not the public commonly known as the Wongnei-chong Recreation Ground :-It would have been fine to have come

1.—These regulations shall apply to the whole of the ground enclosed within the inner rails of the Race Course at Wong-neiwithin the outer rails of the Raco Course opposite the Roman Catholic Cemetery and road, on the East by the Wong-noi-chong stream, and on the South by the Northern boundary of the Jockey Club enclosure. 2.-The maintenance and preservation the said grounds shall be under the car

and direction of the Director of Public . 3.-No person or persons shall alter interfere with the said grounds without the

written permission of the Director of Public

4.—All applications for the use of for any special purpose otherwise provided by these regulations shall be forwarded, to the Governor through the Colonial Secretary, and if permission be granted, notice thereof shall be forthwith posted by the applicant in asme conspicuous part of the grounds, and shall be published in at least one daily paper.

5.—(a)—Subject to the last preceding regulation, until otherwise notified in the Cametto, the said grounds shall be apportioned in the manner appearing in schedule and plan hereto for the use of the different clubs, associations and hodies · Pirates. he cried, with a grin at the therein mentioned and bodies therein mentioned and for the times and periods therein

> (b)-Permission to use any portion of the said grounds or the expenditure of any money thereon shall not confer upon any Club or other body the exclusive right to the use of the ground allotted to it. (c)-The apportionment of the said grounds

cricket, football and the like, shall be anpropriately marked off by the Director of

6.-Netwithstanding anything herein contained whenever in the opinion of the Director of Public Works it is expedient for the maintenance, preservation or restoration of the said grounds or any part thereof, that Year's festivities, made such a hasty flight the said grounds or any part thereof should them. be closed. he shall cause a notice in that be-These arms were all taken out of the ves- half to be inserted at least in one daily paper and to be posted in some conspicuous part of the grounds specifying the part of the ground that is closed, and no person shall thereafter use such ground until a further notice has been published and posted as aforesaid notifying the re-opening of the said ground.

shall keep a book in his house or in some said books. other anifable place on the grounds in which the representative of any club or other body mentioned in the schedule hereto or hereafter notified in the Gazette shall specify the time during which the ground is required by the said club or body at least 24 hours before the time when the ground is actually

(b)—If no time is specified in such book or if the ground in question be not occupied by the said olub or body before the expiration of 30 minutes after the time specified in the book, the ground may be used by any olub or other body requiring the same for the purpose of recreation and not basing any portion of the said grounds allotted for their use for that day, provided that some to the custodian or other person aforesaid.

SCHEDULE. Golf (O1, O2, &c.) ... Tuesdays and Satur-Football and Hockey Tuesdays, Thursdays, Clubs (D & C) and Saturdays. Police (C) Football ... Wednesdays.

Police (E) Cricket ... Mondays, Wednes-Naval and Military Mondays, Wednes-

Naval and Military Wednesdays & Thurs-(B) Football..... Royal Engineers (F). Mondays,

Public for General The remainder of the area inside the Training Course. Note. -(A. &c.) refer to the plan deposited with the custodian.

Areas marked (A) (E) (F) (O1, &c.) are about it,' cried the Captain of the An-I only to be used for cricket and wolf, lan losing all patience. We want no - A priority of right is reserved to the Military and Naval authorities to use the whole of the ground for Military and Naval exercises on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays Frightened by his threatening man, and Fridays on each week up to I o'clock F. H. MAY,

Acting Clerk of Councils. Council Chamber, H'kong, 7th Nov., 1892.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

for the purpose as hereinafter mentioned. | blance between this Ada and the Scriptural shall be eligible to become and be lay Adah is merely accidental.

of January in each year. At least 10 days notice of such meeting shall be given by notices exhibited at each doorway of the

(3)—The church body shall out of their number appoint a treasurer and secretary. body and the auditor shall continue in any pretentious, Hannah, despite her houoffice until the election of their successors. (5) In the event of the death, absence, incapacity to set, or resignation of any lay hardworking woman with muscular arms member or auditor the remaining members who is 'all there 'at window-cleaning or may, within a reasonable time, appoint an- the wash-tub. As for Annie, it is all very other lay member or auditor to act until well when conferred as a pet name by the next annual meeting. Notice of such friends and kinsfolk; but life is too serious appointment shall forthwith be given to the for a woman to use only a diminutive as

to do at that point in the North-east monvi

present shall elect their awa Chairman, cially when familiarised into Aggie.

shall be held quarterly in the first week of Been. Beene, Bet, Betty (once again. February, May, August, and November fashionable), Betsy, Eliza, and Lizzie, all respectively, and may be called at any spring from the parent tree. Ellen, time on the requisition of the bisher or Eleanor, and Isabella, too, belong to the chaplain or of any two lay members; same pedigree. How much depends on Such meetings to be convened by written the association of ideas! Inabel both looks notice. Four members shall form a and sounds pretty: Jezebel, a variant of

equisition signed by not less than fifteen lown as a favourite name, especially in its outholders or subscribers asking for a diminutive forms. Kate. Katie, and Kitty 2 general meeting and stating the object, but several other good old family appellahall within fourteen days after receiving tives are rarer than they were forty years such requisition summon a general meet- ago. Among these may be mentioned ing for its discussion.

and place of holding such general meeting more in favour than Amelia, though both shall be given by notice conspicuously names have a common origin. Emma has posted at each doorway of the church, possibly been vulgarised by its association The bishop, if present, shall preside at with a song which a few years ago such meeting. No general meeting except was in everybody's mouth. In like the annual meeting shall be held unless manner Harriet has become a byfifteen seathoiders are present.

the church fund to the extent of not less Harriet (especially when the latter was spelt than \$10 annually and in holders of sittings with an c), had a savour of exclusive in the church who shall have duly paid aristocracy. Lady Harriot in her yellow their subscriptions or the rent of their chariot seemed to be in as natural a position sittings. Provided always that no sub- as a hand in a glove. Another proof of the scriber or seatholder shall be allowed to inconsistency of fashion concerning hames give more than one vote.

time to time, assess and fix a rent for such | date, the latter—both in novels and plays. sittings in the church and may at any time | well as in real life-has been almost wearimake agreement or contract with any somely popular for a good many years past. person desirous to engage the same accord- When we see in the chituary the death ing to such assessment. The rents of all of an old lady of seventy or eighty bearing sittings in the church shall be paid in ad- the name of Ethel or Florence, we exvance. Sittings may be engaged for any perience a sensation of surprise and not

protence, be deprived of the free use of his that when the marriage list is tolerably sitting at all times when the church shall long we are pretty sure to find an Ether or be open for public worship, provided a Florence figuring in it. The former name always that the church body shall have the came into favour whon Thackeray published power to declare all seats free that are not ! The Newcomes, the heroine of which occupied at the beginning of every service story is an Ethel. other than the usual Sunday morning

counts of all money received and by paid and so, we gladly record, is the simplest. them which accounts the auditor may and sweetest of all names - Mary. When inspect at all reasonable times; such turned into Marie (that is as an English accounts shall be brought down to name) it loses its simplicity and becomes the thirty first day of December in each laffected. Any modern popularity which year and then closed and audited and sub- Martha possesses it gains through its mitted at the annual meeting.

(4)—The church body shall enter or cause to be entered in a book to be kept for the purpose the names of all holders of sittings in the said church with the dates of commencement and termination of Buch occupancy, and they shall provide proper books of registry of all baptisms and marriages solemnised in the said church and 7.—(a) The oustedian, watchman, keeper of all burials performed by the Incombent or other person employed by the Government of the said church and shall also provide a under Ordinance No. 8 of 1870, section 4, fire-proof chest for the safe custody of the

discretion and subject to such conditions actual fact, their highly refined names as they may think fit, permit the erection of any monument or other memorial in the their backs against such monial duties. church or in the enclosure surrounding it. on payment of such fee, not less than \$100, as may seem to them advisable. Any per- well-known names in this country and in son having received permission to erect a the United States. As a rule, the Amemonument shall be allowed to maintain the

FASHIONS IN FEMALE NAMES.

We were about to write ' Female Chris tian Names,' but the second adjective is superfluous. Strictly speaking, although person on their behalf gives notice thereof it may seem ungallant to say so, her baptismal name is all that a woman can 8. No portion of the said ground shall be really claim as her own; her surname is allotted to any club or other body for use on | merely an appellative derived from father or husband, which, up to the end of her life, provided she is a spinster or a widow. she is always at liberty to change. It is doubtful, by the way, whether anyone, man or woman, is entitled, legally, to any but the 'given name.' But as regarde her Polo (D, C, & B) Mondays and Fridays. | Christian names woman has a great pull over man, just because she is woman, a far Wl'ostock. more interesting, fascinating, and, let us Thursdays, venture to add, troublesome creature, than her more stolid sex-fellow from whose Shanghai, 30.26 65 60 ESE 2 anatomy, as Holy Writ tells us, she was nevertheless carved. To a man of middleage who has not led the life of an anchorite. what a host of memories does a mere list of Swatow.... 30.11 72 familiar feminine names evoke! Some of these memories are sweet; some perhaps Vict. Peak days, Thursdays, are bitter-sweet; a few, alat! are alto- Cauton 30.08 74 59 RE 2 gother bitter. Happy those whose re Macao 30.06 71 90 NNE 1 or miniscences are chiefly confined to the first Hollow ... 29.99 71 - RE 8 category. We spoke just now of familiar Haiphong, 29.96 75 59 NW 8 h feminine names, and in this casay it is only Bolinac.... 29.86 82 75 KE. 2 . b the-way given names form a subject of O.S. James themselves, a subject, moreover, which was amply discussed not many months ago in the correspondence columns of a contem-

One of our sims here is to indicate some | Magasaki... of the spelling-vagaries to which female Shanghai. name are liable, and how much the eye (and Foochow... through the eye the mind) is impressed by Amoy 30.18 70 85 the seemingly trifling changes. To begin in alphabetical order. Ada strikes one as an Swatow ... 30.17 71 - 3 1 og much commoner now than it was fifty years! Vict. Peak - - - 6 curls, and seems altogether reminiscent of Macao music-hall ditties; yet, clap an hon to its Holhow ... -The following regulations for St. John's last letter, and it becomes one of the most Haiphong, 30.01 70 74 E 1 or of Section 10 of 'The St. John's Cathedral | the first woman mentioned in the Bible. | Manils..... 29.99 84 69 | w 1 c Church Ordinance, 1892, are published in It is curious that her co-wife Zillah, has not | C.S. James -- -been nearly so popular as a nameriver. I and II. (1)—All male persons being 21 Here, however, we foresee that one of years of age, British subjects, frequenting those troublesome folks, called etymolothe public services of the Cathedral, and not gists, may assert that the modern known to impugn publicly the doctrines of Ada is really derived from Adelaid, Athe Church of England, whose names shall | delina, and (Adela-words in German be entered as seatholders in the book kept signifying nobility—and that the resem-

Let us turn to a much commoner name. (2)—The election of lay members of the Ann. deprived of the final e, has a severe, church body and auditor shall take place almost forbidding aspect; Anne, somehow, by ballot at a general meeeting of the seat- seems much more leveable. It will be re- heit, and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths. holders hereinafter called the annual membered that when Pope withed to clothe and bundredths.

Here thou, great Anna! whom three realms obey, Dost sometimes counsel take, and sometimes tea.

Here again, if we prefix and add an aspirate, a marvellous metamorphosis takes (4)-The lay members of the church place. Anna sounds aristocratic, not to oursble status as the mother of the Prophet Samuel, to modern ears suggests a her haptismal name. Yet fashion nowa- Barometer ... days runs in that direction, and more Temperature. (6)-The names of all persons elected as babies probably are christened Annie than Humidity lay members, as of those appointed as Anne. Concerning Augusta, we will only Direction of into Guszy or Gusta) which makes it an Weather ... (7)—The bishop shall, when present, be ingly-sounding name. G seems an awkward | Rain the Chairman of the church body, and in consonant. It makes Agries, despite its the absence of the hisbop, the members lamb like derivation, sound harsh, espe-

The grand old name Elizabeth resembles the Indian banvan tree in the number of III. (1)-Meetings of the church body shoots and suckers which it sends forth. the same, seems strocious. Catherine, (2)-The church body, on receiving a spelt in four different ways, still holds its Amelia, Charlotte, Caroline, Emma, (3)—At least ten days' notice of the time He riet. Julia, and Matilda. Emily is

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portion of a year not less than one quar- without reason for these names were rarely. ter, and proportionate rent shall be charged given in the earlier years of the century. They sprang into sudden popularity some (2)—No seatholder shall, under any 30 or 40 years ago, and are now so common

Jano and Jenny are still favourite names : so are Louisa and Lucy: so is Margaret (3)-The church body shall keep ac- with its variants, Madgo, Maggie, Margery; liminutive. Patty, which bears little resemblance to its parent stem. As a rule. it may be broadly stated that the poorer classes are gradually abandoning the good old traditional names, especially Scripture names, and are adopting all sorts of fine names, often borrowed from the sensational fiction which they peruse so esgerly. It is rare, nowadays, to find Saraha and Susane among domestic servents, and the nobility will soon have a monopoly of those good old names; on the other hand, there is something incongruous about Yolande blackleading the parlour grate, or V. (1)-The church body may, in their Gladys scrubbing the front steps. In often cause these young ladies to put up Lastly, let us call attention to the differ-

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